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## SHIPPING.

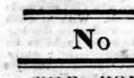
WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE MALABAR COAST, CEYLON, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under contract with Government, will despatch the S. S. MADURA, 1,943 Tons, 300 H. P., Commander F. Corfe, on SATURDAY, the 29th March 1879, at 2 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Coongola, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Pondicherry, Madras, Masulipatam, Cocconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point and at any other place where inducement offers.

Cargo for Singapore and China can be booked fortnightly by the steamers on this line hence or from intermediate ports for transhipment at Galle to the Steamers of the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes de la France which run regularly.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

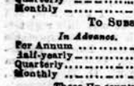
WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE PERSIAN GULF, VIA KURRACHEE, Interchanging Cargo and Passengers at Bussorah, to and from Bagdad, with the Euphrates and Tigris Steam Navigation Company or other Steamers.



THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Contract with Government, will despatch the S. S. COCONADA, 853 Tons, 120 H. P., Commander A. Morris, on THURSDAY, the 3rd April, 1879, at 4 p.m., to the PERSIAN GULF, touching at KURRACHEE, GWADER, MUSCAT, JASK, BUNDER ABBAS, LINGAH, BAHREIN, BUSHIRE, FAO, BUSREH, and occasionally at MAHOMERAH.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

BI-WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH KURRACHEE.



THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Contract with Government, will despatch Steamers to Kurrachee every THURSDAY at 4 p.m., and every MONDAY at 10 a.m.

The S.S. AKOLA, 776 Tons, 120 H. P., Commander J. W. Stewart, on MONDAY, the 31st March, 1879, at 10 a. m., calling at Veraval, Mangrole, Pore Bunder, and Cutch Mandvie, both ways.

The S. S. COCONADA, 863 Tons, 120 H. P., Commander A. Morris, will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 3rd April 1879, at 4 p.m.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH ITALY VIA SUEZ CANAL.

ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

THE REGULAR STEAMERS LEAVE GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th, on the 1st of each Month.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.
(Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.)

| | 1st Class. | 2nd Class. | 3rd Class. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aden | Rs. 320 | Rs. 160 | Rs. 40 | Including Wine. |
| Suez | 360 | 220 | 60 | |
| Port Said | 380 | 240 | 90 | |
| Jaffa | 400 | 300 | 120 | |
| Beyrout | 420 | 320 | 130 | |
| Cyprus | 460 | 330 | 130 | |
| Messina | 500 | 340 | 140 | |
| Naples | 500 | 340 | 140 | |
| Leghorn | 500 | 340 | 140 | |
| Genoa | 500 | 340 | 140 | |
| Marseilli | 550 | 350 | 140 | |

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agent.

NEXT STEAMERS FROM BOMBAY:—

ARABIA, to sail on SATURDAY, 1st April 1879.
ASSIRIA, to sail on THURSDAY, 1st May 1879.
MANILLA, to sail on SATURDAY, 14th May 1879.
AUSTRALIA, to sail on TUESDAY, 1st June 1879.

Passengers and Cargo are now booked for JAFFA, BEYROUT, AND CYPRUS.

A Steamer of the Company leaves Port Said regularly every Thursday by which carries the Passengers from Bombay to the above named three Ports.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second class accommodation; and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The steamers of this Company, as a rule, start precisely at 10 a. m. Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

For hand-books of information, rates of freight, &c., apply to

C. GRONDONA,
Agent Rubattino Steam Navigation Company,
No. 2, Hummum Street.

Bombay, Jan., 1879.

CLAN LINE STEAMERS.

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL AND GLASGOW.

FIRST CLASS PASSENGERS BOOKED AS FOLLOWS:

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL ..... 400 Rupees.
LIVERPOOL TO BOMBAY ..... 36 Guineas.

STEAMERS.

| | Tons Reg. | N.H.P. | | Tons Reg. | N.H.P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| CLAN ALPINE | 2,200 | 250 | CLAN LAMONT | 2,000 | 240 |
| CLAN FRASER | 2,200 | 250 | CLAN MURRAY | 2,200 | 280 |
| CLAN GORDON | 2,200 | 250 | CLAN STUART | 2,200 | 280 |

THESE STEAMERS will shortly occupy the regular berth, with monthly sailings, increasing to a fortnightly service as the Steamers now being launched are completed.

The "Clan Line" Steamers are built expressly for the Indian trade. The Saloons and State Cabins are on deck and are fitted with every requisite for comfort in tropical as well as in old climates. Each steamer carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

For Freight and Passage apply to

FINLAY, MUIR & Co.,
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## HOTELS.

ALEXANDRA HOTEL AND PINTO'S HOTEL, MATHERAN.

MR. J. C. PINTO, the Proprietor of the both Hotels, begs to inform the Public that the above Hotels are now open to VISITORS. There are seven separate Bungalows attached to the Hotels well adapted for Families, for whose comfort every care is taken. The Hotels are well situated, occupy a central position and are therefore very conveniently placed within the reach of several POINTS. They are also nearest to the Station and in a breezy locality under the shade of large trees, which diminish the glare and keep the extensive compound always fresh and cool making it ESPECIALLY AGREEABLE in the HOT SEASON. Mr. Pinto undertakes to look after Rungalows on the Hill at a charge of Rs. 30 per annum.

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CHOWK HOTEL, MATHERAN.

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including everything.

THE Byculla is the most comfortable Family Hotel in Bombay.
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PROPRIETORS.

## SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched for EUROPE:—

| Vessels. | Tons. | H.P. | Captains. | 1879. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — CATHAY | 2982 | 450 | R. T. Dundas | 31st March. |
| (s) NEPAUL | 3858 | 600 | J. S. Murray | 7th April. |
| — TRAVANCORE | 1900 | 350 | W. Barratt | 14th do. |
| (s) BOKHARA | 2932 | 450 | J. Orman | 21st do. |
| — BANGALORE | 2068 | 500 | E. G. Stead | 28th do. |
| (s) INDUS | 3470 | 500 | H. D. Shailard. | 5th May |
| — THIBET | 2593 | 400 | J. H. Torbock. | 12th do. |
| (s) SURAT | 3141 | 530 | W. E. Breese | 19th do. |

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 17th March 1879. Superintendent.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta:—

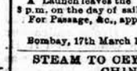
| Vessels. | Tons. | H.P. | Captains. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| GWALIOR | 3725 | 450 | J. C. Babot | 1st April 1879. |
| LOMBARDY | 2723 | 460 | W. B. Ball | 15th do. |
| RAMSES I | 2491 | 370 | A. Symons | 29th do. |

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 4th March 1879. Superintendent.

STEAM TO KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE AND COLOMBO.



THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports:—

| Vessels. | Tons. | H.P. | Captains. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| SIAM | 3014 | 500 | G. N. Hector | 28th March. |
| ASSAM | 3033 | 500 | N. Stewart | 25th April. |
| TANJORE | 2263 | 450 | W. W. Fentiman | 23rd May. |

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 27th February 1879. Superintendent.

NOTICE.—HALL LINE of STEAMERS.—CONSIGNEES of CARGO, per S. S. BRANKSOME HALL, are hereby informed of the Steamer's ARRIVAL from LIVERPOOL, and are requested to present their BILLS of LADING and to TAKE DELIVERY of their respective GOODS without delay.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

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CAPITAL,
TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
FIRE RESERVE FUND ... £261,444

| | | |
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| | „ 1877 | £450,883 |

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THE only preparations fit for Invalids; incomparably superior to the commercial Liebig's Extracts, guaranteed perfectly pure and made from carefully selected material. With the addition of a little bread or vegetable seasoning, and, if desired, fat, they form most delicious soups.

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EXTRACT OF MUTTON.—Quarter pound jars... „ 3 0

EXTRACT OF CHICKEN.—(Borne by patients who can take nothing else) jars..... „ 2 8

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SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

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A SOVEREIGN remedy for Headache, Biliousness, Sea-sickness, Boils, Skin Eruptions, Gastric Disorders, and Impurities of the Blood as well as in Fever. Is a safe but efficient Aperient, counteracts the vitiating affects of a tropical climate, and quickens the functions generally. An experience of twenty-five years has established the great value of this Saline as a domestic remedy, not excelled by any imported preparation of a similar nature whatever, and it is now offered as better adapted to this climate than any article hitherto introduced.

PER BOTTLE Re. 1-4.

D. S. KEMP & Co.,
SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

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IN QUEST OF ARTICLES
SUITABLE FOR PRESENTATION,
SHOULD APPLY FOR A COPY
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TREACHER & COMPANY'S
ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE
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ELECTRO-PLATED WARE,
AND
HALL MARKED SILVER GOODS,
Which will be sent free upon application.

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LACTOPEPTINE,

a composition of PTYALINE, PEPSINE, PANCREATINE, HYDROCHLORIC, and LACTIC ACIDS presented in an agreeable SACCHARATED form.

It is palatable and easy of administration, has DIGESTIVE POWER SEVEN TIMES GREATER THAN THAT OF PEPSINE, and contains all the agents of digestion that act upon food, from mastication to its conversion into chyle.

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|---|---|---|
| Original bottles, with measure and directions for use..... | Rs. 3 0 | Rs. 3 8 |

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TREACHER'S GINGER ALE,
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IS highly aromatic, pleasingly pungent to the palate, and delightfully refreshing as a beverage for tropical climates.

The various ingredients composing this popular drink are proportioned to a nicety, and the utmost care and cleanliness (as with all our Aerated Waters) are exercised in its production.

PURE WATER, PURE INGREDIENTS, SKILLED LABOUR,

And well constructed and suitable apparatus driven by powerful steam machinery are at our command, coupled with the Factory being under the supervision of a talented Chemist, through whose experience and knowledge we hope to maintain the high reputation so long enjoyed by the Company for their other Aerated Waters.

Cash Re. 1 8 per dozen (bottles extra).

TREACHER AND CO., LIMITED,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT.

SUPPLY of PUNKHA PULLERS.—Tenders opened at 1 p.m., MONDAY, 31st March 1879. Forms of Tenders, Schedules and further particulars to be had.

A. SHELPS, Lieut.-Colonel,
Executive Commissariat Officer, Presidency.

Bombay Executive Commissariat Office, 27th March 1879.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED to, or possessing CLAIMS against, the ESTATE of the late JACOB SUTTON, Engine Driver G. I. P. Railway, Bhusawul, are requested to communicate with the undersigned on or before THURSDAY, the 3rd day of April 1879, after which no claims will be entertained.

HENRY S. FERGUSON,
For the Executors of the above Estate.

Bhusawul, 26th March 1879.

NOTICE.—The Undersigned is prepared to receive TENDERS for the execution of ORDINARY and PETTY REPAIRS to the GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS in the Presidency Division and for the SUPPLY of ROAD METAL and SAND STONE during the year 1879-80.

Survey Reports and Specifications, with conditions, can be seen, and other particulars learnt, on application to the Undersigned during Office hours.

Sealed Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Ordinary Repairs," to be delivered at the Office of the Undersigned not later than 2 P.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd proximo.

Each Tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200, to be forfeited in the event of evasion or delay on the part of the tenderer to sign the contract.

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of the lowest or any Tender.

MUNCHERJEE COWASJEE MURZBAN, C.E.,
Acting Executive Engineer, Presidency.

Bombay, 26th March 1879.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.—ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act, X. of 1866 and of the NARIAD SPINNING and WEAVING COMPANY LIMITED. (in Liquidation).

PHEROZESHAH M. MEHTA.....Official Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons claiming to be CREDITORS and CONTRIBUTORIES of the above Company, that by an Order made by the Honourable Mr. Justice Bayley, on the 17th day of March instant, it is ordered that MANORE HURKHA and all other PERSONS CLAIMING TO BE CREDITORS of the above Company, their Attorneys, or Agents, do ATTEND before the sitting Judge in Chambers, on MONDAY, the 7th day of April next, at a quarter to eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any, why the said Manore Hurkha should not give inspection and allow copies of the title-deeds in his possession, custody, control or power, in any wise relating to the above Company, to the Attorneys for the Official Liquidator, with a view to enable him to sell the Mill Property of the above Company, reserving to the said Manore Hurkha all his rights (if any) against the proceeds of such sale, or why the claim of the said Manore Hurkha, as set forth in the Schedule annexed to the affidavit of the Official Liquidator, affirmed herein on the 22nd day of March, instant, be not admitted on his undertaking to deliver over to the Attorneys of the Official Liquidator all the said title-deeds, or why such other order may not be made by this Honourable Court as may appear to this Honourable Court equitable and proper under the circumstances of this case.—Dated this 26th day of March 1879.

TYABJEE & SAYANI,
Attorneys for the Official Liquidator.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

BENTEAK BOARDS.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of 400 Tons BENTEAK BOARDS. Specification and Form of Tender, with particulars of delivery for each size, may be obtained on application at the Office of the undersigned.

Sealed Tenders "endorsed" will be received by the Agent at the Company's Offices, Elphinstone Circle, up to NOON on WEDNESDAY, the 9th April next, after which hour no Tender will be received.

No notice will be taken of any Tender unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government Paper as a guarantee of the good faith of the Tenderer.

Persons whose Tenders shall be accepted will be required to enter into a contract, and for the due fulfilment of the same, to find security amounting to 10 per cent on the estimated value of the contract.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper.

Storekeeper's Office, Byculla, 27th March 1879.

NOTICE.

LOTTERY! LOTTERY!
IN AID OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH, DABOOL, BOMBAY.

IN order that the accounts of the above Lottery may be CLOSED and the RESULT SUBMITTED to the PARTIES CONCERNED, the winners of prizes who have not as yet applied for them are requested to do so within 3 months from this date, after which date the accounts will be closed and the unpaid or unclaimed prizes forfeited for the benefit of the Church.

The Agents also who have not as yet settled their accounts are requested to do so as early as possible that the undersigned may not be COMPELLED TO PUBLISH THEIR NAMES together with the amount due.

All communications to be addressed to the Treasurer.

A. A. LOBO, Rev.
J. P. D. DeSOUZA,
S. P. DeSOUZA. } Trustees.

S. V. QUADROS, Treasurer, 35, Cavel.

Bombay, 28th March 1879.

TO BE LET, from 15th April, a BUNGALOW at Malabar Hill, at present occupied by Surgeon General Stewart. Rent Rs. 300. Apply to

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4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

TO BE LET, from 1st April, a BUNGALOW on the Victoria Cross Road, Byculla, now occupied by W. F. Melvin, Esq. For rent and other particulars apply to

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4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

TO BE LET, an UPPER-STORIED BUNGALOW in Nesbit Lane, Byculla, at present occupied by J. T. Lindsley, Esq. Rent Rs. 115. Apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

TO BE LET, a FURNISHED BUNGALOW in the Main Lines for 3½ months. Rent Rs. 175 per month. Another for 8 months. Rent Rs. 200 per month. Apply to

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4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

TO BE LET, a FURNISHED BUNGALOW on the Queen's Road for Rs. 125. Apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

THE DARJEELING STEAM TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL: RUPEES 15,00,000,
In 15,000 Shares of Rs. 100 each; Rupees 10 payable on application. Rs. 10 on allotment, and no further Call will be made until July next, when Calls not exceeding Rs. 10 per share will be made at intervals of not less than one month.

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Baboo DOORGACHURN LAW .. Merchant, Calcutta.
FRANKLIN PRESTAGE, Esq., .. Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway Company, Calcutta.

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Messrs. ROBERTS, MORGAN & Co.

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THE BANK OF BENGAL.

TEMPORARY OFFICE.
EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY, SEALDAH, CALCUTTA.

APPLICATIONS for SHARES to be made to the Acting Secretary, Temporary Office of the Darjeeling Steam Tramway Company, Eastern Bengal Railway, Sealdah, where also the Government Concessions, Conditions, and Detailed Estimates may be seen, and all other information obtained. Applications for shares will also be received by, and full information obtained at, Messrs. GILLANDERS, ARBUTHNOT & Co., Calcutta.

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Ribbons, Silk and Velvet.
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Mulls, Swiss Muslins.
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Tapes, Cords, Braids.
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Best English Prints.
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Samples and prices of all the above, sent on application.

WATSON AND COMPANY,
CHURCH GATE STREET, BOMBAY.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TREACHER & CO., LIMITED,
INVITE SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE
REGISTERED DRESSING BAG,
Which is so constructed that the fittings can be completely closed in when not required for use, thus adding the convenience of a useful Travelling Bag.

| FOR GENTLEMEN. | FOR LADIES. |
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| In Morocco or Russia Leather. From Rs. 108 to Rs. 360. | In Morocco or Russia Leather. From Rs. 100 to Rs. 450. |

ALSO,
THE ACME BAG,
MOST USEFUL AND ELEGANT,
The fittings of which can be removed, thus forming an empty or fitted bag as may be required.

Gents, 16 by 9 by 13.
Ladies, 14½ by 8½ by 12.
Cash Rs. 148; Credit Rs. 165.

A large assortment of fitted
TRAVELLING & DRESSING BAGS,
Of various sizes and prices.
From Rs. 50 to Rs. 200.

HAND TRAVELLING BAGS,
OPENING SQUARE AT TOP, WELL FINISHED, WITH GOOD SERVICEABLE LOCKS.

| In Waterproof Canvas. From Rs. 13-8 to Rs. 25. | In Morocco and Russia. From Rs. 12-8 to Rs. 36. |
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BOMBAY ART EXHIBITION.—

## EAST INDIA (LOANS RAISED IN INDIA).

RETURN of all Loans raised in *India*, chargeable on the Revenues of *India*, outstanding at the commencement of the half-year ending on the 30th September 1878, with the rates of interest and total amount payable thereon, and the date of the termination of each Loan, the debt incurred during the half-year, the moneys raised thereby during the half-year, the Loans paid off or discharged during the half-year, and the Loans outstanding at the close of the half-year, stating, so far as the public convenience will allow, the purpose or service for which moneys have been raised during the half-year :—

| DESCRIPTION OF LOAN. | RATE OF INTEREST. | One Half-year's Interest on the Amount of Debt outstanding on 1 April 1878. | DATE OF TERMINATION OF LOAN. | Amount of Debt outstanding on 1 April 1878. | Amount of Debt incurred during the Half-year ended 30 Sept. 1878. | Moneys raised during the Half-year ended 30 Sept. 1878. | TOTAL. | Amount of Debt paid off or discharged during the Half-year ended 30 Sept. 1878. | Amount of Debt outstanding on 30 Sept. 1878. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| LOANS BEARING INTEREST. | | £ | | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Loan of 1859-60 | 5½ per cent. | 270,742 | Not before 1 May 1879 | 9,845,170 | ..... | ..... | 9,845,170 | 1,670,079 | 8,175,091 |
| Transfer Loan of 1870 | 4½ per cent. | 41,305 | Not before 15 July 1883 | 1,835,790 | ..... | ..... | 1,835,790 | ..... | 1,835,790 |
| Transfer Loan of 1871 | 4½ per cent. | 4,993 | Not before 4 July 1881; falls to 4 cent. on that date | 221,900 | ..... | ..... | 221,900 | ..... | 221,900 |
| Transfer Loan of 1872 | 4½ per cent. | 278,823 | Not before 16 January 1883; falls to 4 per cent. on 16 January 1879 | 12,392,130 | ..... | ..... | 12,392,130 | ..... | 12,392,130 |
| Loan of 1878 | 4½ per cent. | ..... | | ..... | 2,406,700 | *2,457,435 | 2,406,700 | ..... | 2,406,700 |
| Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per Cent. portion | 4½ per cent. | ..... | Not before 15 September 1892 | ..... | 1,655,559 | ..... | 1,655,559 | 500 | 1,655,059 |
| Transfer Loan of 1879, 7s. sterling per Cent. portion | 7s. per cent. per annum. | ..... | | ..... | 15,020 | ..... | 15,020 | ..... | 15,020 |
| Loan of 1824-25 | 4 per cent. | 636 | | 31,797 | ..... | ..... | 31,797 | ..... | 31,797 |
| Loan of 1826-29 | 5 p r cent. | 174 | | 3,724 | ..... | ..... | 3,724 | ..... | 3,724 |
| Loan of 1832-33 | 4 per cent. | 24,332 | | 1,216,608 | ..... | ..... | 1,216,608 | 15,630 | 1,200,973 |
| Loan of 1835-36 | 4 per cent. | 59,762 | 3 months after notice by Government | 2,984,130 | ..... | ..... | 2,984,130 | 41,390 | 2,945,740 |
| Loan of 1842-43 | 5 per cent. | 354,242 | No date specified | + 17,712,136 | 84,810 | ..... | 17,776,946 | 77,700 | 17,699,246 |
| Loan of 1854-55 | 4 per cent. | 127,411 | | 6,370,570 | ..... | ..... | 6,370,570 | 84,350 | 6,286,220 |
| Transfer Loan of 1 May 1855 | 4 per cent. | 353,987 | | 17,679,360 | 195,110 | ..... | 17,874,470 | 13,250 | 17,861,220 |
| Transfer Loan of 22 April 1854 | 4 per cent. | 24,613 | 15 months after notice by Government | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Loan of 1858-54 | 3½ per cent. | 1,141 | 3 months after notice by Government | 1,230,666 | ..... | ..... | 1,230,666 | ..... | 11,230,666 |
| Railway Loan from Maharajah Holkar | 4½ per cent. | 22,500 | No date specified | 65,200 | ..... | ..... | 65,200 | ..... | 66,200 |
| Debenture Loan of 1867-68 | 5 per cent. | 15,068 | 1 June 1883 | 1,000,000 | ..... | ..... | 1,000,000 | ..... | 1,000,000 |
| Promissory Notes for Yasoor Family | 4 per cent. | 4,189 | No date specified | 600,300 | ..... | ..... | 600,300 | ..... | 600,300 |
| Railway Loan from Maharajah Scindia | 4 per cent. | 30,000 | Ditto | 207,960 | ..... | ..... | 207,960 | 26,757 | 181,203 |
| | | | | 1,500,000 | ..... | ..... | 1,500,000 | ..... | 1,500,000 |
| LOANS NOT BEARING INTEREST. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 1,613,428 | TOTAL DEBT IN INDIA bearing Interest ... £. | † 74,906,450 | 4,427,199 | 2,457,435 | 79,333,649 | 1,930,656 | 77,402,993 |
| 5 per Cent. Debenture Loan of 1867-68 | ..... | ..... | 1 June 1877 | 4,800 | ..... | ..... | 4,800 | 1,500 | 3,300 |
| 5 per Cent. Loan of 1856-57 | ..... | ..... | | 19,760 | ..... | ..... | 19,760 | 450 | 19,310 |
| 5 per Cent. Loan of 1825-26 | ..... | ..... | Already advertised for payment | 6,240 | ..... | ..... | 6,240 | ..... | 6,240 |
| 5 per Cent. Loan of 1841-42 | ..... | ..... | | 1,590 | ..... | ..... | 1,590 | ..... | 1,590 |
| 5 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55 for Public Works | ..... | ..... | | 6,400 | ..... | ..... | 6,400 | 450 | 5,950 |
| Treasury Bills at 2½ pie per cent. per diem | ..... | ..... | | 9,280 | ..... | ..... | 9,280 | ..... | 9,280 |
| | | | TOTAL DEBT IN INDIA not bearing Interest £. | 48,070 | ..... | ..... | 48,070 | 2,400 | 45,670 |
| | | | TOTAL DEBT IN INDIA £. | + 74,954,520 | 4,427,199 | 2,457,435 | 79,381,719 | 1,933,056 | 77,448,663 |

* For Public Works Extraordinary. † The difference of 484*l.*, as compared with the balance shown in the last statement, is due to an expected adjustment not having been made. ‡ Includes amount held in England.

Comptroller General's Office, Calcutta, 6 December 1878.

W. WATERFIELD, Officiating Comptroller General.

EDWARD STANHOPE, Under Secretary of State.

## COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

THURSDAY EVENING, 27TH MARCH 1879.

A DECIDEDLY better feeling has been observable in business to-day especially in respect of the Exchange Banks, and a similar tendency evidently prevails in London, Oriental Bank shares having recovered £1 and Chartered 10s. per share, while Chartered Mercantile and Hongkong and Shanghai are unaltered in value. The shares of the Oriental Bank which were sold here yesterday as low as Rs. 210, have recovered to Rs. 250, with few sellers at that.

Through Reuter we learn that the Directors of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China have declared a dividend at the rate of 2 per cent. for the half year, carrying forward £9,000, which seems satisfactory so far as it goes, but it is impossible to judge of the actual position of the institution without more definite information.

The Money Market in London continues very easy, the rate of discount in the open market on 3 months sight Bank Bills being quoted at ½, and on 6 months sight at ¼ per cent. below the Bank minimum.

Consols in London remained at 96⅞, while French Rentes have recovered from 114½ to 114¾. Enfaced Rupee Paper is quoted at 74 for Fours and 78½ for Fours-and-a-half, being an advance of 3 and 1½ per cent. respectively, but we are dubious as to the correctness of the quotations.

In the General Produce Markets, Seeds remain unchanged, as also is Cocoanut Oil, but Coffee is firm with an advance of 1s. per cwt. all round.

The weekly quotations for Metals shew an advance of 10s. per ton in Tile Copper and Silesian Spelter and a decline of £1 per ton in Copper Braziers.

Piece Goods in Manchester are reported firm, and Cotton in Liverpool closed firm, sales 10,000 bales, spot price unchanged. According to private advices the market opened active but closed quieter, Surats in some cases being quoted nominally 1-16d. higher, but with few, if any, buyers. Yesterday's telegram from New York quotes ready Mid. Uplands at 10 16 cents 3-an, advance 1-16, while June shipment has risen from 10-63 to 10·75 cents. per lb. The receipts at the ports to date give the following comparisons :—

| | This week. | Last week. | 1878. | 1879. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wednesday's Receipts | 11,000 | 9,000 | 12,000 | 4,000 |
| Five days' do. | 40,000 | 36,000 | 51,000 | 29,000 |
| Total since 1st Sept. | 4,089,000 | ... | 3,860,000 | 3,704,000 |

At the weekly biddings for Council drafts on India in London yesterday the 25 lacs offered were allotted as follows—Rs 203,400 to Calcutta and Rs. 10,000 to Madras at an average of 1s. 7·26d. and Rs. 1,50,000 to Bombay at an average of 1s. 7·35d., tenders on all three places at 1s. 7⅛d. only receiving 19 per cent. of the amounts applied for. As compared with last week this shews an advance of fully ⅛d. per Rupee, and notwithstanding this comparatively favourable result only 25 lacs are to be offered at next week's bidding. In sympathy with the improvement, Bar Silver in London has risen from 49½d. to 50d. per oz., at which rate the Rupee lays down at fully 1s. 7·3-16 per Rupee.

EXCHANGES.—The enhanced rates obtained for Council drafts and the accompanying rise in Silver has imparted a very firm feeling to the market and quotations during the day have advanced quite ⅛d. per rupee all round. Even at the improvement the Banks are rather more willing sellers than buyers and at the moment there seems every probability of a further advance. Produce is now coming forward much more plentifully and will continue to do so, whilst money is steadily hardening in value, the Bank of Bengal in Calcutta having to-day advanced their rates of discount 1 per cent. all round. The intelligence respecting the intention of Government in regard to the motion to be brought before the House of Commons, may, when it comes, tend to alter the aspect of affairs, but to all outward appearance otherwise the value of the rupee must still advance. We quote :—

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|---|---|---|
| Bank Bills, on demand | ...1s. 7¾d. | per Re. |
| Do. 6 months' sight | ...1s. 7¿d. | ,, |
| Credits, 3 ,, ,, | ...1s. 7¿d. | ,, |
| Documents, 3 ,, ,, | ...1s. 7 13-16d. | ,, |
| Finance 3 ,, ,, | ...2·08 | ,, |

Of Gold we hear some of the Banks are now sellers instead of buyers at the reduced rate of Rs. 19-8-6 per tola.

On Calcutta telegraphic demand has been done to-day at par.

GOVERNMENT PAPER is quiet but steady at yesterday's rates, say :—Fours, Rs. 92½ ; Fours-and-a-half, Rs. 97¼. For small clean pieces ¼ to ½ per cent. over these figures would have to be paid.

SHARES.—A very quiet feeling prevails and transactions have not been numerous. Bank of Bombays have recovered 1 per cent., closing at Rs. 660. In Land Companies we note an advance of Rs. 10 in Colaba and a decline of like amount in Port Cannings. In Press Companies the only movement is an advance of Rs. 5 in Mofussils. For Spinning and Weaving Companies there is not much enquiry. Great Eastern, Hindustan and Khandesh are all Rs. 25 lower, but Orientals are Rs. 5 higher.

COTTON.—Notwithstanding the further advance in Exchange, the Market has been well supported by sellers and in the case of Ginned Broach an advance of Rs. 2 per candy has been established, while other descriptions are practically unchanged. No great extent of business has been done, but with anything to assist sellers the tendency is to establish higher rates. Supplies, although not so large as on Tuesday, are still fairly liberal, yesterday's arrivals being 5,338 bales, making 36,740 bales for the week, the largest total reached this season. We quote :—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Good Ginned Broach, April | Rs. 210 | per Candy. |
| D. Oara, ,, | ,, 200 | ,, |
| F. G. F. do ,, | ,, 194 | ,, |
| G. F. do ,, | ,, 190 | ,, |

SEEDS continue in active request at hardening prices.

FREIGHTS are quiet, and, if anything, the turn easier. For Liverpool by steam only a limited extent of business has been done at 25s., and the s.s. Cella is reported to have been placed on the berth at that rate. By sail rates for ready shipment are offering by iron vessels at 20s. to 22s. 6d., but forward loading is still quoted at 25s. per ton. For the Mediterranean ports we still quote nominally 30s. per ton, payable here.

PIECE GOODS.—Grey goods continue in fair request in the bazaar and rates are well supported. Bleached Cloths are also in moderately good demand, and medium Jacconets are very saleable at hardening rates.

COALS are, if anything, a trifle firmer, but there are few sellers in the market.

### BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

BANKS.

| Bank. | No. of Shares. | Nomi. Value p. sh. | Paid up. | Last Dividend. | Cash Rates per Share. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Rs. | Rs. | p. a. | |
| Agra Bank | 100,000 | 100 | all | 6 p. ct | 128 |
| Bank of Bengal | 40,000 | 500 | all | 4 do | 715 |
| Bank of Bombay | 20,000 | 500 | all | 5 do | 660 |
| Bank of Madras | 60,000 | 500 | all | 3 do | 655 |
| National Bank of India | 37,320 | 625 | 12½-10 | 6 do | 110 |

LAND COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Colaba Land Co. (New) | 4,000 | 5,000 | all | 15 p.a* | 825 |
| Frere Land and Pier Co. Limited | 7,500 | 250 | all | 6 p. a. | 110 |
| Mazagon Land | 1,750 | 2,000 | 1,000 | 30 p. a. | 450 |
| Portdanning Land Company, Limited | 9,000 | 1,400 | all | 15 p.a. | 210 |

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS BY SEA.

THE S. S. BENGLOE, 1,198, tons, Captain J. W. Buchanan, sailed yesterday for Singapore in ballast.

THE S. S. VIRGINIA SCHILIZZI, 821 tons, Captain G. Thompson, sailed yesterday for Genoa via Kurrachee in ballast.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's S.S. AKOLA, 315 tons, Captain J. W. Stuart, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kathiawar Coast and Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Lieut. Mackintosh, Mr. Favre, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Harold, and 309 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s s.s. ORIENTAL, 938 tons, Captain W. Starratt, sailed yesterday for Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mrs. A. deGs, Mrs. M. T. de Lima, Asst. Surg. Muncherjee Sorabjee, Mr. W. D. Wilkins, and 103 deck passengers.

THE HALL LINE S. S. BRANKSOME HALL, 1347 tons, Captain R. Collins, which arrived in harbour on the 26th inst. from Liverpool, brought the following cargo :—1,451 packages piece goods, 12 cases wine, 22 cases metal sheets, 4 cases nails, 50 cases brass sheets, 1,402 bars iron, 2,220 bundles iron hoops, 20 bundles iron, 100 iron plates, 12 bales twist, 700 tons coals, 66 packages earthenware, 203 cases soap, 40 cases kegs nails, 70 cases iron sheets, 25 cases paint and colour, 25 packages glassware, 16 cases corks, 50 cases porter, and many packages merchandize,

### ARRIVALS.

| Mar. | Vessels. | Commanders. | From. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 27 | Akola (s) | Stuart | Kurrachee, Mar 24. |
| | I. G. Dalhousie(s) | Powell | Kurrachee, Mar 25. |

### DEPARTURES.

| Mar. | Vessels. | Commanders. | Destination. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 27 | Bengloe (s) | Buchanan | Singapore. |
| | Virginia Schilizzi(s) | Thompson | Genoa. |
| | Oriental (s) | Starratt | P. Gulf via Kurrachee. |

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Nepaul, to Southampton.
Steamer Rigel, to Havre.
Steamer Branksome Hall, to Liverpool.
Steamer Cella, to Liverpool.

## DAILY IMPORTS.—MARCH 27.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Macedonia s—15 cases ginger wine, Eduljee Bazonjee.

FROM LONDON.

William Burkett s—65 casks beer, Muncherjee Bezonjee Lakdawala.
Alnwick Castle s—10 cases brass sheets, Bhaimeya Ebrahim.
Cathay s—20 cases perfume, D S Kemp and Co ; 5 cases dye, Finlay, Muir and Co.
Nepaul s—2 cases toys, Bolton and Co.
James Douglas s—26 cases brandy, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM GENOA.

Arabia s—822 slabs soft spelter, Gladstone, Wyllie and Co.
Australia s—25 cases brandy, Nowrojee Aspandiarjee.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Arabia s—25 cases brandy, Green and Jarvis.

## DAILY EXPORTS.—MARCH 27.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Macduff—812½ cwts myrabolams, Jaitha Purshotum : 500 bales cotton, W and A Graham and Co.
Knight Companion—300 cwts myrabolams, Poonja Jewraj ; 336 bales cotton, Ritchie, Steuart and Co ; 1,474 cwts myrabolams, Khuttow Muthra.
Clandon s—sides skins, Hajee Woosman Hajee Joosub ; 24 bales rags and 1 bale hemp, Soondersee Keswoojee ; 40 bales wood, Shamjee Veerjee ; 300 bales cotton, Finlay, Muir and Co ; 23 bales cotton, Govindjee Hunsraj ; 1,500 bales cotton, Gadium and Co ; 100 bales cotton, J C Bushby and Co ; 4 bales cotton, Morarjee Hurdass ; 121½ cwts ginger, Bhanjee Purshotam and Co ; 200 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co.
Shakespeare—300 cwts bones, Natha Essa.
Hesiod—n—4 bales wool, Nensee Lachmedass ; 10 bales hides, Leo Teil and Co ; 256 cwts myrabolams, Bhanjee Nursey ; 250 cwts myrabolams, Sewjee Ramjee.
Salisbury—500 bales cotton, J C Bushby and Co ; 300 bales cotton, Nusserwanjee Manuckjee and Co ; 400 cwts bones, Natha Essa.
Evesham Abbey—400 cwts bones, Natha Essa.
Duncow, 50 cwts bones, Natha Essa.

FOR LONDON.

Cathay s—3 cases shawls, Forbes and Co.
Negus—383 bags coffee, 1,144 packages ginger 37 packages cardamums, 5 cases mace 1 case tea 10 cases nutmegs 17 packages pepper and 5 bags turmeric, C J Khumbatta.
Contest—350 cwts 18 horns, Khuifanbhoy Dama ; 300 cwts bones, Ameed Aily.

FOR HAVRE.

H H McGilvery—750 cwts pepper and 100 bales cotton, J C Bushby and Co ; 300 bales cotton, Ritchie, Steuart and Co.
Cumberland—750 cwts linseed, Gaddum and Co ; 250 cwts B horns, A Blaschock and Co.
Red Sea—466½ cwts rapeseed and 300 cwts coffee, Vinay and Co.
Elpis s—500 bales cotton, Ritchie, Steuart and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Benvoirlich s—200 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co ; 125 casks cocoanut oil and 2,100 cwts ginsellyseed, Ralli Brothers ; 669½ cwts gingellyseed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR GENOA.

Arabia s—200 bales cotton, Runkler Singer and Co ; 150 bales cotton, S Spinner and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Cathay s—100 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co.
Lumley Castle s—100 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co.
Tebe s—100 bales cotton, Runkler, Singer and Co ; 25 bales cotton, B and A Hormusjee : 200 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.

Cathay s—100 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co.
Lumley Castle s—100 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co.
Tebe s—200 bales cotton, W and A Graham and Co ; 247 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co.

FOR SUEZ.

Cathay s—10 packages silk, Hajee Zenell Abedin.

FOR ALEXANDRIA.

Cathay s—3 cases silk, Hajee Zenell Abedin.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Modura s—200 bales cotton, C Rustomjee Setna.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Gwalior s—25 cwts gum, Aldridge, Salmon and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Gwalior s—202 cwts sandlewood, Muncherjee Framjee ; 53 cwts sandlewood, Muncherjee Merwanjee ; 21 cases sharkfins, and 2 cases fishmaws, Ebram Hassum ; 5 cases fishmaws and 31 cases sharkfins, Ludhabhoy Chuttoo ; 70 cases sharkfins, and 4 cases fishmaws, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 1 case fishmaws and 34 cases sharkfins, Mahamedbhoy Rowjee ; 50 bales twist, Cursetjee Bomanjee and Co ; 97½ chests opium, Jairashbhoy Peerbhoy ; 24 bales twist, Hajee Abdoola Noor Mahomed ; 70 bales twist, Chutturbhoo Inderjee ; 12 cases sharkfins, Cassum Bhimjee ; 25 bales twist, Ardaseer Merwanjee ; 52 bales twist, Hajee Adam Esmail and Co ; 40 bales twist, Framjee Hormusjee.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Gwalior s—117 chests opium, Jairashboy Peerbhoy ; 28 chests opium, Tarachund Gunchandass.

## HIGH COURT.—MARCH 28.

(Before the Honourable SIR CHARLES SARGENT and the Honourable MR. JUSTICE MELVILL.)

Appeal for hearing and final disposal.

389—In the matter of the petition of Nursey Kessowjee and others insolvents—Hearn C and L—Kessowjee Naik.

[Before the Honorable SIR CHARLES SARGENT.]

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

In the property and credits of Jamsetjee Heerjeebhoy Bhajeewala, deceased—Adarjee Cursetjee Bhajeewala, applicant—Shamroo Pve Ardeshir Jemsetjee Bhajeewala, Cavetor—Nanu and H.

In the property and credits of Jamsetjee Heerjeebhoy Bhajeewala, deceased—Ardeshir Jamsetjee Bhajeewala, applicant—Nanu and H vs Aderjee Jamsetjee Bhajeewala Cavetor—Shamrao P.

For investigation under Sec. 408 of Act X of 1877.

In Person—Mariambebee vs Abdoola bin Peer Buksh and others—Part heard.

LONG CAUSES.

403-78—Chalk and W—Gujanund Crushnazlo vs Vithuldass Nurrotumdass and others—B N, and 3 and E.
426-78—In person (a pauper) Hurrichund Dasirath vs Jotiram Vithe—R Bicknell.
50-79—Prescot and W—Hunmuntram Petty vs The Chartered Bank of I, A and C—Craigie, L and O.
51-79—Jefferson—Ramchunder Cadurbhoy vs C Bounsville.
54-79—Mirza H Khan—Abdool Rahimon bin Ally Musharee vs Syed Mahomed bin Syed Hoosein.
64-79—Lynch and T—Mopis Chowa Kara Killote vs Ruttonjee Nusserwanjee Coonwalla.
65-79—Shapoorjee and T—Vulubdass Jairam vs Premchund Roychund and another.
67-79—Shapurjee and T—Khetsidass Samruthrai vs E D Sassoon—Rimington, H and C.
70-79—Rimington, H and C—Cursondass Thackersey vs Nanjee Pendu—Shapurjee and T.
76-79—Hearn, C and L—Goculdass Jugmohandass and Lukmidass Khimjee and others—Lynch and T and Jefferson
88-79—Nana and H—Byramjee Rustomjee Bharoocha and another vs Dhunjeebhoy Rustomjee Bharoocha and others—Ardeshir and H, and In person.

[Before the Honorable MR. JUSTICE BAYLEY.]

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSES.

582-78—A F Turner—Moroba Purshotam Dhuru vs Laxmeebai—In person—Part heard
396-78—Jefferson and P—Janardhun Ramchundra vs The National S and W Co—Shapurjee and T.

## MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—MARCH 24.

Ashburner, Col, Staff Corps, on leave, from C Provinces.

MARCH 26.

Reade, Surg Major, on leave, from Khandar.

DEPARTURES.—MARCH 26.

Wardrop, Lieut Col, Adjt Genl, on duty, to Poona.
Prideaux, Captain, Political Dept, on duty, to Bhopal.

MARCH 27.

Barnett, Major, R H A, on duty, to Secundrabad.
Pottinger, Lieut Col, Quarter Master Genl, on duty, to Poona.
Mignon, Lieut Col, Deputy Judge Advte, on duty, to Poona.

## BOMBAY GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Bombay Government Gazette*, March 27.)

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 19th March 1879.

Sub-Conductor R Livingstone, First Class Overseer, Remount Reserve Depôt, Hauppur, is allowed to proceed to the Colonies and Europe on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Government of his own Presidency.

The undermentioned Warrant Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months on medical certificate, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Conductor W Mace, Ordnance Department.

Colonel J A S Faulkner, Bombay Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe under the Regulations.

The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for one year and three days on private affairs, from date of departure in May next, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Major H B Beach, Staff Corps, Inspector of Schools, Southern Circle, Central Provinces.

The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for two years, from date of departure in April next, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Major and Brevet Lieut-Colonel J M Sexton, Staff Corps.

The following promotions in the Ordnance Department are ordered substantively pro tem :

Sub-Conductor (Acting Conductor) W Wilson to be Conductor, Sub-Conductor W Cotton to be Acting Conductor, Store Sergeant (Acting Sub-Conductor) A Boyce to be Sub-Conductor, and Store Serjeant Henry Todman to be Acting Sub-Conductore, from the 18th Dec 1878, vice Dickinson, deceased.

Assistant Commissary (Honorary Lieut) C McMillan to be Deputy Commissary, Deputy Assistant Commissary F Nelson to be Assistant Commissary, Conductor T Courtenay to be Deputy Assistant Commissary ; Sub-Conductor C Lacy, Supernumerary (Storekeeper, Small Arms Ammunition Factory) and Sub-conductor J Brew to be Conductors, Sub-Conductor W Smith to be Acting Conducror, Store Serjeant (Acting Sub-Conductor) C Ashbury to be Sub-Conductor, and Store Serjeant H Jepson to be Acting Sub-Conductor from the 19th Dec 1878, vice Walsh, pensioned.

Store Serjeant (Acting Sub-Conductor) H Ward to be Sub-Conductor, and Store Serjeant J Cullen to be Acting Sub-Conductor from the 19th Dec 1878, vice Westwood, pensioned.

Sub-Conductor (Acting Conductor) A Foiy to be Conductor ; Sub-Conductor John Sirton to be Acting Conductor ; Store Serjeant (acting Sub-Conductor) James Lacey to be Sub-Conductor, and Store Serjeant E Yeates to be Acting Sub-Conductor from the 4th Jan 1879, vice Hickey, pensioned.

Store Serjeant (Acting Sub-Conductor) P Clarke to be Sub-Conductor, and Store Serjeant J Buchanan to be Acting Sub-Conductor from the 5th Jan 1879, vice Shervett, reduced.

Lieut E A E Wyllj, Adjutant 8th Madras N I, is allowed to proceed to Europe and return to the Colonies on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Government of his own Presidency.

Lieut-Colonel H W Mathias, Bengal Staff Corps, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Government of his own Presidency.

The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for one year and 296 days on private affairs, from date of departure, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Colonel A G Plomer, Staff Corps, Commandant, 17th N I.

The undermentioned Officer, having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieut-Colonel from the date specified : Major A T Spens, 20th March 1879.

The leave of absence for three months on medical certificate granted by G G O dated 19th inst to Lieut-Colonel A J B Vaz, of the Bombay Medical Establishment, is extended to the 2nd May.

The undermentioned Officer is permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—Lieut-Colonel H P Sykes, Cavalry.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted by the Secretary of State for India extensions of leave for the periods specified :—

Captain C T Echalas, Infantry, six months, medical certificate.
Major F J S Adam, Staff Corps, three months, medical certificate.

Consequent on the departure on leave of Sub-Conduct G Young, the following promotion in the Commissariat Department is ordered, to date from 20th Feb :—Serjeant J Burton to be Acting Sub-Conductor.

Major the Hon C G Kemball is permitted to resign his appointment as Second-in-Command Volunteer Rifle Corps.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed twelve years' service, four of which have been in the Staff Corps, to be Captain from the date specified :—Lieut W Macbay, 23rd March.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

With reference to Notification dated 14th Dec 1878, the Rev A G Cane, M A, to revert to his appointment as acting Chaplain of Poona, and the Rev W J Fennell, M A, acting for the Rev Mr Cane, to revert to his substantive appointment as Chaplain of Ghorpuri.

With reference to Notification dated 15th March, the Rev G H Lewis, B A, is appointed to do duty at Rajkot and Bhuj until further orders.

The Right Rev the Lord Bishop of Bombay has appointed the Rev F L Sharpin, M A, to officiate as Archdeacon and Commissary during the absence on furlough of the Venerable S Stead, M A, or until further orders.

## CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

Bombay Castle, 22nd March 1879.

The services of Lieut W F Kennedy, Acting Second Assistant Political Resident at Aden, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Foreign Department for employment as Officiating Second Assistant to the Political Agent at Zanzibar.

Colonel H Beville, C B, to be substantive pro tem. Superintendent of the Upper Sind Frontier from the date of his assuming charge on the appointment.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments, to have effect on the return from leave of Mr W H Newnham, Judge and Sessions Judge of Poona and Agent for Sirdars in the Deccan :—

Mr C B Lucas, Judge and Sessions Judge at Ratnagiri.
Mr S H Phillpotts to be Judge and Sessions Judge at Ahmedabad.

Mr W E Hart, First Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Bombay, is allowed furlough to Europe on urgent private affairs for six months from the 5th May next.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments during the absence of Mr W E Hart, First Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Bombay, on leave, or until further orders :—

Mr N Spencer to act as First Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Bombay.

Mr J L Warden to act as Second Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Bombay.

Rao Bahadur Ganpatrao Bhaskar to act as Third Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Bombay.

Mr R W S Pinhey to act as Fourth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Bombay.

The Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr G F M Grant, Magistrate of the First Class in the District of Surat, to be a Magistrate of a Division of that District.

Mr G Cotgrave is appointed to act as Second Assistant District Superintendent of Police in the Khandesh District during Mr H M Gibbs' deputation to act as First Assistant, or until further orders.

The Hon the Governor in council is pleased to appoint Mr John Macleod Campbell, Magistrate of the First Class in the District of Poona, to exercise the powers vested in a Magistrate of Police by the said Act.

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The Hon the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr J Muir-Mackenzie, Magistrate of the First Class in the District of Satara, to be Magistrate in charge of the Karad Division of the District comprising the Talukas of Karad, Patan, and Khanapur.

Mr E McG H Fulton, Acting Registrar of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Bombay, is allowed furlough to Europe for one year from the 6th June next, or in case he should be relieved of his duties as Acting Registrar by Mr Watt, from such earlier date as Mr Watt may relieve him.

Mr A Barrett is appointed to act as Professor of English Literature in the Elphinstone College (in the Fourth Grade), in addition to his duties as Acting Principal of the Elphinstone High School.

Mr F W Marriott, Assistant Superintendent, Revenue Survey, is allowed leave of absence for one year, without pay.

Mr G H D Wilson, C S, having returned to the Presidency on the 12th instant, the unexpired portion of the furlough on one hundred and twenty-two days granted to him from 26th February is cancelled.

Mr E H Mossardi, Assistant Collector, Ahmedabad, is transferred to do duty at Ahmednagar.

Mr W D Wilkins to be Probationary Assistant Settlement Officer in Sind.

Mr T B Fry, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Gujarat Circle, is granted three months' privilege leave of absence from 4th May next.

Mr H L Holland, Assistant Superintendent, Poona and Sasik Revenue Survey, is promoted from the Fourth to the Third Grade of Assistant Superintendent, with effect from the 3rd instant.

Assistant Surgeon D G Dalgado is allowed sick leave of absence for one year.

In consequence of Lieutenant-Colonel J H White, R E, having returned to duty, the following reversions will have effect from the 19th March.

Mr T D Little to revert to Executive Engineer, Second Grade.
Mr H G Palliser to revert to (temporary) Executive Engineer, Third Grade.
Mr J Adams to revert to (temporary) Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade.
Lieut G F Fuller, RE, to revert to Assistant Engineer, First Grade.
Lieut S A E Hickson, R E, to revert to Assistant Engineer, Second Grade.

## PUNJAB GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Punjab Government Gazette*, Mar. 20.)

The Rev J A Stamper, Chaplain of Amritsar, is transferred to Sialkot as Officiating Chaplain of that station.

The Rev G W Hume, Officiating Chaplain of Ferozepore, is appointed to officiate as Chaplain of Mooltan.

Baron J Bentinck, Assistant Commissioner, from the Lahore to the Simla District.

Dr Dickson, Officiating Superintendent of the Lahore Central Jail, has obtained furlough to Europe for two years.

The Governor General in Council having sanctioned the appointment of an Additional Assistant Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, the Honble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr H C Fanshawe, Assistant Commissioner, to that office.

Surgeon-Major A Taylor is appointed Civil Surgeon of Peshawar.

The Rev W A Duke, Chaplain of Mooltan, has obtained furlough to Europe for 18 months.

The Governor General in Council having sanctioned the appointment of Captain Macpherson, Cantonment Magistrate, Jullundur, as transferred to Peshawar, and appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of that station.

Mr E Burton, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Jullundur, is appointed to officiate temporarily as Cantonment Magistrate of that station.

Mr W Ward, District Superintendent of Police, is transferred from the Dera Ghazi Khan to the Gujarat District.

Mr Rotton, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Gujarat, is transferred as an Assistant District Superintendent of Police to the Hissar District.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

The services of Surgeon-Major R Gray are replaced at the disposal of the Civil Department, from the 9th instant.

## MADRAS GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Fort St. George Gazette*, March 18.)

Mr T M Busteed, First Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Madras, leave for six months on urgent private affairs.

Mr E Barclay, Government Solicitor, leave to Europe for twelve months on medical certificate.

Mr L G Arbuthnott, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Bellary, leave to Europe for nine months.

Mr D Duncan, Professor of Logic and Moral Philosophy, Presidency College, furlough to Europe for twenty months.

Mr G Duncan, Acting Principal Government Normal School, Madras, furlough to Europe for two years.

The Rev G Spratt, Ph D, Professor of Sanscrit, 4th class, Presidency College, to act as Professor, during the absence of Mr Duncan on furlough.

The Rev S Morley to act as Joint Chaplain of St George' Cathedral.

Mr G T Longley, Acting first Member, Board of Revenue, privilege leave three months.

Mr W S Whiteside, Collector of North Arcot, privilege leave for three months.

Mr Stanbrough, Acting Deputy Conservator in charge of Salem Forests, three months' privilege leave on medical certificate.

### MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

The following promotions are made :—Major A. A Johnson, having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieut-Colonel.

The Right Hon the Secretary of State for India has granted

# LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

## THE AFGHAN WAR.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS.)

### THE THUL CHOTIALI FIELD FORCE.

BILOZAI KAREZ, THRO' QUETTA, MARCH 24.

The 2nd column with General Biddulph moves forward to-day. Major Sandeman is at Chimjan, four marches on. On the third march a feeble attempt to stop Major Sandeman was made, resulting in the capture of 52 prisoners without our firing a shot.

Successful reconnaissances have been made towards the Zhob valley under Mount Kand by General Biddulph, and to Amadun, in the Panizai Kakar country, to the north of Mount Takatu.

### PROSPECTS OF AN ADVANCE ON KABUL.

LAHORE, MARCH 27.

Major Cavagnari arrived last night.

The *Civil and Military Gazette* understands that all hope of peaceful negociations with Yakub Khan has failed. An advance in force on Kabul will be made as soon as the snow disappears from the Shuturgurdan.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(*By Red Sea Cable.*)

### THE INDIAN IMPORT DUTIES.

LONDON, MARCH 27.

The Manchester Chamber of Commerce has resolved to send a memorial to the India Office, expressing regret at the continuation of the Indian Import Duties, and requesting their total and immediate repeal.

Consols remain unchanged at 96⅞.

### RUSSIA AND AFGHANISTAN.

ST. PETERSBURG, MARCH 26.

News has been received here of a declaration made by General Kaufmann (Governor-General of Turkestan), to the effect that Afghanistan is totally abandoned to the English, who are free to take and keep Herat, without Russian interference.

### THE EVACUATION OF ROUMELIA.

LONDON, MARCH 27.

A circular note has been received here addressed by Russia to the Great Powers, in which it is proposed that a corps of 15,000 men formed of contingents supplied by the Great Powers shall occupy Roumelia, after the evacuation of territory by the Russian troops is completed, for a space of twelve months for the maintenance of order.

### STEAMER MOVEMENT.

ADEN, MARCH 26.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Merkara, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left to-day.

The Anchor Line steamer Macedonia arrived at Marseilles on Sunday, the 23rd instant. She left Bombay on the 26th February.

LONDON, MARCH 26.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed firm. Surats unchanged.

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| The London Cotton Market has been firm. | |
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| The Manchester Market has been firm. | |
| Exchange on India, 60 days' sight | 1-32 |
| 6 per cent. Rupee Paper | 74 |
| 4½ per cent. do. | 78¾ |
| 3 per cent. Consols for account | 96⅞ |
| 5 per cent. French Rentes 1872 | 114⅛ |
| Bar Silver | 50 |
| Oriental Bank shares | £19 |
| Chartered do. | £16 |
| Do. Mercantile Bank shares | £17 |
| Hongkong and Shanghai do. | £23 |

The Chartered Bank pays a dividend of 2 per cent. for the half year and carries forward £9,000.

### STEAMER REPORTS.

MADRAS, MARCH 27, 8-57 P. M.

Hongkong, 27th—Manila Mail 4 p. m. to-morrow.

### RATES OF EXCHANGE ON LONDON.

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| Bank Bills on demand | | | 1s. 7d. per rupee. |
| Do. | 6 months sight | | 1s. 7d. " |
| Credits, | 3 | " | 1s. 7d. " |
| Documents, | 3 | " | 1s. 7 13-16d. " |
| France | 3 | " | 2-08 " |

THE annual meeting of the Royal Alfred Sailors' Home was held yesterday evening. There were present H. E. the Governor of Bombay (Sir Richard Temple), the Right Rev. the Bishop (Dr. Mylne), and a large number of prominent men in Bombay. A report of the proceedings will be published to-morrow.

THE result of the Legislative Council meeting yesterday will probably have the effect of suggesting to the members of the Chamber of Commerce who signed the requisition which appeared in our issue of yesterday to withdraw the proposal. The Government have met the Chamber in a very fair spirit, and yesterday, Mr. Gibbs in moving the second reading of the Port Trust Bill, stated his intention later, when the Bill came to be considered in detail, to propose that the amount of 80 lakhs of rupees proposed by the Bill as amended by the Select Committee to be fixed as the maximum sum to be paid for all the private foreshore properties should be reduced to 77 lakhs. This proposal was submitted in due course, and passed unanimously. Mr. Balfour, who is the champion of the Chamber of Commerce in the Council in regard to this matter, freely admitted that the Chamber had every reason to be satisfied with the way in which the Government had met their view. The only opposition at the meeting came from Mr. Morarjee Goculdas, who wished to have the amount to be paid for each property, definitely stated, and to have the minimum number of native members of the Trust increased from three to five, who should be elected by the votes of merchants paying a certain amount of dues,—on both of which points he found himself in a minority of one to the remainder of the Council. On the first point, probably, he might have been supported but for the fact that it has been decided that the consideration of the bargains with the foreshore proprietors is not to be entrusted to the Bombay Government, but is to be left in the hands of the Secretary of State. The Bill was read a second time, and considered in detail, and is to be read a third time on Tuesday next.

CAPTAIN C. B. EUAN SMITH, C. S. I., First Assistant to the Resident at Hyderabad, takes three months' leave, and Mr. J. R. Fitzgerald, Bo. C. S., acts for him.

WE learn from the *Ultramar*, that the Goa Government has given orders to arrest two Hindus,—one of whom is thought to be Nursey Kesonjee,—who are believed to be concealing themselves in the village of Mapuca.

THE Secretary of State has approved of the selection of Ranjit Singh as successor to the Chiefship of Navanagar, the adopted heir to the Chiefship having recently died.

CAPTAIN BOILEAU, R. E., has been appointed Executive Engineer, Central Berar Division.

ROADS and communications in H. H. the Nizam's dominions and under the P. W. D. have now been transferred to the Municipality under the immediate control of the talukdars. The roads are bad enough even under professional hands, but it will be worse under the talukdars. The expenditure under this head is to be charged to the P. W. D. for four months, and the remaining eight months to the Revenue Survey Department. This is the fourth reorganization in the Nizam's P. W. Department in so many months.

Now that war with Upper Burmah is imminent, a little more activity among the Rangoon Volunteers would, a local paper thinks, not be out of place. If it be true that in the event of hostilities actually breaking out, one-half of the 89th will go to the front, the Volunteers may be pretty certain that they will have to turn out as city guard.

THE China papers report another outrage on missionary property at Fokhieu. It appears that one of the literati demanded black mail from a native preacher at a place called Yik-Kan near Kien Ning-fu, and not obtaining it, instigated a riot, during which the mob smashed the doors of the chapel, took away the mission property, and seriously injured the native catechist. It is said the local authorities declined to intervene.

MR. A. F. SIMPSON has been appointed German Consul at Coconada.

MR. W. BLACK has been appointed Acting Consul for Germany at Calcutta, and Mr. Buhmeyer as German Consul for the town and harbour of Bassein including Diamond Island.

THE *Pioneer* has the following guesses at what may happen in Afghanistan. The truth, however, seems to be that the Government of India is absolutely ignorant of Yakub Khan's intentions:—The announcement that Major Cavagnari is expected at Lahore to confer with the Viceroy, will set people guessing, once more, at the state of the situation which the Viceroy wishes to discuss personally with his trusted agent. We believe that, so far, the negotiations have advanced no further than an exchange of letters, and in crises of this nature it may be doubted whether important and conclusive results can ever be worked out by mere correspondence. Oral and personal diplomacy would afford the only good promise of a satisfactory agreement. But this may as yet be difficult to arrange for. Meanwhile, all that has been said from time to time in these columns, and all that has taken place, will have led the reader to form one conclusion on the subject of the war already. Neither side is desirous of a new collision. Yakub Khan's reasons for not wanting this are too numerous and intelligible to need explanation, while the British Government is notoriously tired of the war and satisfied with the proofs it has afforded of the Government of India's strength in any North-Western struggle. However, the Government of India will naturally be determined to wind up what has been so well begun, in a creditable manner. Lord Lytton will be anxious to avoid "contributing a difficulty" to the future, in his turn, and if Yakub Khan cannot, or will not, make proper terms the word will undoubtedly be *en avant*,—and that before long. The issue seems to depend upon the extent to which Yakub Khan may dare to make peace on the conditions the Government of India may prescribe. He may very likely require the Indian Government to force his hand before giving way. It may be practically a condition of his tenure of power that more powder should be burnt before Afghan chauvinism can be safely disregarded. Undoubtedly Yakub Khan sees more clearly into the situation than his father, and even though he may deliberately court a contest, he probably knows, with complete certainty, that if there is a contest, he will be beaten. But appearances must sometimes be maintained at any cost, and the credit of having fought, is often more important than the result either of victory or defeat.

THE following highly interesting description, by Dr. E. Halub, who has spent many years in the interior of South Africa, of the Zulu mode of fighting, will recall to the minds of many of our readers the Highlanders' onset by which they broke the English ranks at Prestonpans. The Highlanders fired but one volley with their muskets, and then, dropping their guns, drew their broadswords, and rushed with headlong fury against the English infantry. These tactics, which exactly resemble those of the Zulus, were invariably successful against disciplined English troops till Wolfe taught the Duke of Cumberland, at Culloden, to make free use of his artillery, and to reserve the fire of his second line of infantry till the Highlanders were within 50 or 60 yards. At hand, however, that British troops are armed with breechloaders, it seems difficult to understand how, in ordinary circumstances, the bravest foes can succeed in charging right up to the bayonets:—

The Zulu style is not to be contrasted for a moment with that of the colonial natives or those with whom our forces have been engaged in Griqualand West or in the Transvaal. The Zulus prefer and strive to throw themselves in overpowering numbers on the weakest point of the enemy. With dauntless courage and the fury of tigers they rush on, without the least concern for the hundreds falling in their ranks or the bodies barring their way; they press on to get their opponent at quarters as possible, looking neither to left nor right, nor dreaming of hiding or taking moment behind stones or bushes. They charge forward, for this reason preferring the open field. Naturally courageous and vain of their prowess, they firmly believe that they must and will follow the above-mentioned tactics and they must win the day. As for the loss they suffer in thus advancing in great numbers, they are indifferent to it, for the simple reason that they are so accustomed to wholesale slaughter in the wars of conquest in the interior of India, daily seeing the dead and wounded of their comrades falling in all directions has no effect upon them. Where is there another tribe like the Zulus and their branches in South Africa? These men are ruled by a savage despot. They are trained as soldiers all their lives in regiments, properly officered, all, in fact, in correct military style, as nearly as they can follow it. When ranged in order of battle each man holds a gun in his right hand, a small shield is strung round his left arm, and in his left hand he holds a long sack or short assegai. Their skill with the gun being anything but great, they content themselves by beginning the attack with a couple of volleys. The gun is then thrown down, and they rush upon their opponents in a dense mass, taking the long assegai in the right hand. At a distance from 40 to 60 paces off in their headlong career, and hundreds and thousands of spears are hurled at the enemy. Then the short assegai is taken in the right hand and the charge is resumed. When within a few yards of the enemy they make use of their shields, and by parries, only to snap the assegai short off across the left knee, and then their favourite hand-to-hand conflict ensues. Thus the fight becomes a slaughter, generally ending in the complete success of the Zulus. While feeling very confident as to my rights or ability to advise upon the subject, I feel compelled to say that I think the best plan to adopt with these people is to meet them with more artillery. Numerous well-served batteries of artillery, Gatling guns or mitrailleuses, are the only way to cope with the Zulus while they continue their present style of fighting, for small bodies of our men, however brave, will otherwise be simply sent to destruction. When I read the number of guns being used against the Zulus, I at once came to the conclusion that the number was altogether too small. I imagine from the fact that the Zulus did not make a raid into Natal that their loss must have been terribly severe, so much so as to make them fear the result of an encounter with a large body of whites, or they would have been hopped by striking quickly to meet and annihilate the remaining portion of Colonel Glyn's Column, as they had done with the other.

*The Pall Mall Gazette*, March 7:—To-day the *Standard*—most enterprising and complete of all news sheets—has some obviously unnecessary remarks. That journal stands forth to demand that something be done to restore confidence in Lord Chelmsford. If our South African force's "Lord Chelmsford need not be recalled, need not be superseded. By all means let personal susceptibilities be spared, as far as possible. We are asking, in the name of the country, for no exercise of heroic firmness, when we ask, in regard to Lord Chelmsford and this 'unfortunate affair,' as he called the disaster of Isandula, that the Government should make good his proved deficiencies, just as it has already made good the numerical deficiencies of the troops at his disposal." Well, but has not the writer of all this heard of the appointment of Major-General Clifford, V.C., C.B.? The *Standard* will find that exactly what it asks for, in the opinion of the country, has been granted by anticipation.

THE *Standard*:—Now that the nominal roll of killed is published it is apparent that the disaster of Isandula is even more serious than was at first supposed. Of the Imperial forces alone it is ascertained that seven hundred and eighty-six men and fifty-one officers have fallen,—and to this total nine additions are made by the *Gazette* we publish this morning—while of the Colonial forces twenty-one officers and one hundred and ten white troops have fallen. Thus, irrespective of natives, we have lost seventy-two officers and nine hundred and five men. When we recall that the loss in killed at the Alma was twenty-six officers and three hundred and twenty-seven men, and that at Inkermann the loss of the English and French in killed was four hundred and sixty-two, the magnitude of the disaster at Isandula will be appreciated at its full value.

*The Pall Mall Gazette*, March 7:—Amid the gloom and depression so widely prevailing, it is cheering to observe signs of improvement in one of the greatest of our industries, and that, too, in which the present crisis is first declared itself. From the Cleveland district, and also from Wolverhampton, the reports are all of greater activity and animation in the iron trade. In the Cleveland district there is a rise of price of 1s. 6d. or 2s. in No. 3 pig compared with a fortnight ago, and some sellers are demanding a further advance. In the finished iron market there is no improvement; but the steel works are all reported to be busy. In Wolverhampton there has not yet been an actual rise, but workers are fully employed, and are asking better terms, and a more confident tone pervades all branches of the trade. This tendency had a marked effect yesterday on North Eastern Railway shares. The Home Railway market generally was very dull in consequence of the unfavourable traffic returns and of large sales of Brighton stock. North Easterns formed an exception, it being hoped that the company will reap the benefit of any improvement in the iron trade.

M. CLEMENCEAU is coming to be looked upon in Paris as a formidable person. M. Aurelien Scholl, ex-editor of the *Voltaire*, has published a letter in which he says:—"It is not only for M. Gambetta to keep watch and ward, but for the Frenchmen. M. Clemenceau comes forward with a plan for recasting our social condition. He would plunge old Gaul into the deadly caldron of Eson to restore it to youth. He would do it without flinching. To see and to hear him one feels that he is not a man to allow himself to be moved by our cries, to be disturbed by our maledictions, or to be scrupulous or charitable in the employment of his means. It is the very reverse of opportunism; it is under modern forms the revolution of 1793 made flesh." Another writer remarks, "that one of the advantages which M. Clemenceau has over M. Gambetta is that he drags no tail after him; and one of the advantages which M. Gambetta has over M. Clemenceau is, that he never had anything to say to the stupid and ferocious Commune. Between these two men there will one day be a duel *a mort*. M. Clemenceau is a coming Gambetta; and he who has come will require to be vigilant in order to preserve his powerful faculties and keep them from rusting."

## BOMBAY.

THE following programme of music will be played by the Band of H. M.'s Marine Battalion at the Apollo Bandar this evening:—

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| March | | |
| Overture | Il Conte D'Essex | Mercadante. |
| Quadrille | Wedding | Strauss. |
| Selection | Macbeth | Verdi. |
| Waltzes | Romouse | Waldteufel. |
| Galop | La Vie Parisienne | Offenbach. |

A SALUTE of 13 guns was fired from the Saluting Battery yesterday morning at 6-30 a. m., on the occasion of the departure of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief to Mahableshwar.

WE are requested to state that there will be a special ladies' night at the Gymkhana this evening from 5 to 7 p. m., when, by the kind courtesy of Mr. John Wilson, the Royal Western Skaters will give a performance on the Gymkhana Rink from 6 to 7. The 9th Regiment N. I. Band will play.

SHANKAR BALWANT, late Kulkarni of Kokatnur, Taluka Sindgi, in the Kaladgi Collectorate, having been convicted of the offence of criminal breach of trust as a public servant, is declared ineligible for re-employment in the Government service.

HEADS of Departments at the Presidency and in the Provinces are permitted to close their offices from Wednesday the 9th proximo to Tuesday the 15th idem, both days inclusive, for the Easter holidays.

MR. GULABBHAI KANTHUDIN DESAI, L.C.E., has been appointed Engineer to the Palitana State.

THE quantity of Cotton shipped from the port of Bombay to foreign external ports and foreign Indian ports during the month of February was 41,735 doorss, or candies 20,858, valued at Rs. 38,94,910.

STATEMENT OF SILVER BALANCE IN THE MINT.—The value of silver in the Mint on the morning of the 17th March was Rs. 1,32,24,210, add silver received during the week Rs. 25,14,311. The sum of Rs. 18,00,000 in new coin was paid during the week; the balance left was Rs. 1,39,38,521. There is in addition bullion valued at Rs. 81,73,162 belonging to private individuals deposited in the Mint vaults and awaiting assay.

MORTUARY RETURNS.—The total number of deaths registered during the week ending Tuesday, 25th March, was 465, being 20 more than in the previous week, 120 less than the total of the week ending 26th March 1878, and 68 less than the mean of the corresponding period in the preceding five years. During the week 231 births were reported in the different districts of the city. The rate of mortality per 1,000 of the population was 39·71. There were 168 deaths from remittent fever, being 19 less than in the previous week and 43 less than in the same period last year. There were no deaths from cholera last week as compared with 3 for the week previous. The deaths from diseases of the respiratory system, diarrhœa, and dysentery were last week 39, 29, and 36 respectively, as compared with 56, 19, and 26 last year.

HOUSEBREAKING AND THEFT.—Yesterday, at the Girgaon Police Court, three noted characters, named Seevun Sunvai, Dooda Govind, and Essau Lookman, were convicted by Mr. W. Webb of several charges of housebreaking and theft of property, consisting of copper utensils, wearing apparel, &c., belonging to several parties. Prisoner No. 1 was sentenced to an accumulated term of three years and seven months' rigorous imprisonment, prisoner No. 2 to two years' and ten months' similar imprisonment, and prisoner No. 3 to one year and three months' rigorous imprisonment.

NEGLIGENT NAVIGATION.—A tindal of a prow, named Shaik Mahomed Bhava, was yesterday fined Rs. 15 by Mr. C. P. Cooper for navigating his craft negligently so as to endanger human life.

ASSAULT.—A Mahomedan, named Dossa Juggoo, was yesterday fined Rs. 20, or in default to one month's rigorous imprisonment, by Mr. C. P. Cooper, on being adjudged guilty of committing an assault on Esmail Ebram.

### ARRIVAL OF TROOPS.

THE Indian Government s. s. Dalhousie, 1,060 tons, Captain W. Powell, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kurrachee, which port she left on the 25th inst., with the 13th Battery 8th Brigade and the 8th Battery 11th Brigade R. A. The following is the list of officers:—Major Latham, Captain Bayley, Lieut. Fleming, and Dr. Beamish, and 82 men of the former Battery who proceed to Deolali. Major Murray, Lieuts. Repton, Swinton, and Kuper, and Dr. Johnston, and 80 men of the latter Battery, who will be stationed at Colaba.

### APPOINTMENT OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

UNDER the provisions of Section 4 of Act II. of 1869, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to act as Justices of the Peace within the limits of the Town of Bombay:—

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| Baumbach, Mr. Robert. | Thomson, Sir Thomas. Bart |
| Comber, Mr. Edward. | Thomson, Mr. H. I P. |
| Crawford, Mr. Leslie. | Tobin, Mr. Patrick. |
| Forrest, Mr. A. N. | Winter, Mr. C. A. |
| Fox, Mr. H. | Mr. Jadaeer Merwanjee Setna. |
| Gostling, Mr. D. E. | Mr. Hirjeebhoy Ardaseer Dady. |
| Hart, Mr. W. E. | Mr. Jana-dhun Gopal. |
| Inversity, Mr. J. D. | Mr. Mirza Hussain Khan. |
| Jardine, Mr. James. | Mr. Nanabhoy Rustomjee Ranina. |
| Kirkpatrick, Mr. H. C. | Mr. Tapidas Varjdas. |
| Lisboa, Mr. J. C. | Mr. Tribhowundas Vurjee-dhurry. |
| Macaulay, Mr. W. M. | |
| Maitland, Mr. W. | |
| Mowat, Mr. M. | |
| Smith, Mr. C. Yorke. | |
| Tennant, Mr. W. M. | |

A curious error in the above list is, that one of the gentlemen named Mr. Ardasir Merwanjee Setna, died several months' ago from injuries received by a fall from his horse at Nalgaum.

### THE MANDVIE SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY.

AT the High Court yesterday, the appointment of a liquidator to the abovenamed company was considered before Sir Charles Sargent. Mr. Macpherson appeared for the petitioners, Oursetjee Jehangir Tarachund and others; Mr. Latham for Manore Hurkha and others, creditors for upwards of six lakhs of rupees; Mr. Inversity for the company; Mr. Conroy for the Bank of Bombay, creditors for two lakhs of rupees; and Mr. Hormusjee Shapurjee and Mr. Thakurdas for different shareholders.

Mr. Latham mentioned that, in a similar case, Mr. Justice Green had declined to hear counsel and expressed his intention to judge upon the affidavits only as he thought it would be invidious to discuss in court the qualifications and disqualifications of those proposed for the office of liquidator.

The Judge resolved to adopt the same course as Mr. Justice Green; and the counsel thereupon proposed their respective candidates.

Mr. Macpherson proposed Mr. John Lang, Mr. Trimbuk Ramchunder Telang, adoptive father of Mr. Telang, barrister, and Mr. K. R. Cama.

The Judge said there was a serious question about a certain mortgage which had been executed to two of the directors.

Mr. Inversity said he would therefore propose perfectly independent gentlemen. They were Mr. Crockett, assistant Sir Charles Forbes and Co., Mr. Symons, of Messrs. Finlay, Muir and Co., Mr. Dadaboy Dosabhoy Cama, an advocate who had never been in practice, and Mr. Ardasir Framjee Moos.

The Judge said if it was a qualification in an advocate who aspired to be a liquidator that he should never have been in practice!

Mr. Latham proposed Mr. Dadabhoy Dosabhoy Cama, Mr. Crockett, Mr. Gordon, Mr. de Quadros, Mr. Ardasir Framjee Moos, Mr. Jamsetjee Pallonjee and Mr. Bomonjee Pestonjee Master. The learned counsel had no objection to Mr. Symons although his name was not mentioned in his client's affidavits.

Mr. Inverarity remarked that the mortgage referred to by his Lordship was a sort of deed of trust to secure the Bank of Bombay, and to secure at the same time the directors who had personally undertaken to guarantee the payment of the debt of two lakhs of rupees.

Mr. Macpherson said there was no mortgage to the Bank of Bombay, and there was no trust deed; and he thought no good would be done by discussing the point.

Mr. Conroy and Mr. Hormusjee supported Mr. Inversity's nominations; Mr. Thakurdas, Mr. Macpherson's; while Mr. Mobiram Bagoobhoy, who appeared in person, suggested that one or two creditors should be appointed the liquidators.

The Judge was understood to remark that any one of the gentlemen proposed who had an interest in the Bank of Bombay would not be fit for the office of liquidator.

Mr. K. R. Cama stepped into the witness-box and said he believed he had only one share of the Bank of Bombay; and when pressed to be definite in his answer, he said he had most probably one share only; and he was willing to sell it off.

The Judge said he could not consider Mr. K. R. Cama to be a fit and proper person for office of liquidator.

Mr. Macpherson said his other two nominees had no interest whatever in the Bank of Bombay.

The Judge said he would give his decision after going through the affidavit.

ALARMING SPREAD OF IMPERIALISM!—Uncle (who has passed all his military life in India, and just returned): "Off, already, George? What's your hurry, my boy?" Nephew: "Why, you see, Uncle, I've got a Speaker's order for the House of Commons. I want to hear—" Uncle: "Dear me! You don't mean to say that old rubbish is going on still?"—*Punch*.

THEY are growing so remarkably pious in Glasgow that they desire to put a stop to the running of tramcars on Sundays. Anyhow, two or three deputations have recently waited on the directors of the tramway company, and urged that the carrying on of the traffic is a desecration of the Sabbath. To the reply that the cars were much used by people attending church they turned a deaf ear. They would possibly sooner have a few hundred people neglect attending a place of worship than that a dozen or so drivers and conductors, who would probably adjourn to the nearest public-house were they set at liberty, should be employed on Sundays. Ah, well! we have learnt something of Glasgow piety lately. Those bank directors who built and supported churches were a rather cheerful set.—*Sportsman*.

PERFECTION.—Mrs. S. A. Allen's World's Hair Restorative is truly a pink paper-wrappered rever fails to restore Grey Hair to its youthful colour, imparting to it new life' growth and lustrous beauty. Its action is certain and thorough, quickly banishing greyness. It is not a dye. It ever proves itself the natural strengthener of the Hair. Its superiority and excellence are established throughout the world—Sold by Treacher & Co., Bolton & Co., D. Fernandes & Co., and Hajee Moledina Joosub, Bombay; Smith, Stanistreet & Co. and R. Scott, Thomson & Co., Calcutta; DeSouza & Co., Madras; J. L. Lyall & Shrivefs & Co., Allahabad; E. Plomer & Co., Simla and Lahore; Maitland & Co., Colombo; Curnoe & Nadervanjee and Sons, Ahmednuggur and dealers in all principal towns.—[ADVT.]

### THE BOMBAY POLICE REPORT FOR 1878.

THE following Resolution by the Government of Bombay in the Judicial Department is published:—

Bombay Castle, 26th March 1879.

Letter from the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, dated 1st March 1879, Submits a report showing the state of crime in the Town and Island of Bombay during the year 1878.

RESOLUTION.

Government observe with regret the material increase in 1878 as compared with 1877 in the number alike of offences reported to have been committed and of persons brought to trial in the City of Bombay. The total number of offences reported during the year under review would appear from the returns furnished by the Chief Presidency Magistrate to have been 24,513, being 3,585 in excess of the number reported in 1877. The increase is most noticeable in cases of offences against property without violence, of nuisances, of gambling, of improper behaviour in the public streets, and of refusal of duty on board-ship.

2. There would seem to be some reason to doubt whether the returns submitted by the Chief Presidency Magistrate purporting to show the number of offences reported do really exhibit the total number reported or committed. To take for instance murder and culpable homicide not amounting to murder, to judge from paragraphs 27—28 of the Report and the entries in Judicial Statement A. it would seem that only two such offences were reported in 1878, but as a matter of fact at least four such offences were reported. In his letter printed has an accompaniment to the Report Sir Charles Sauter mentions two murder cases which have remained undetected and unpunished, and a reference to this circumstance is also made by Mr. Cooper in paragraph 30 of his Report. The entries under this head in the Judicial Statement A. are therefore clearly incorrect. Further in cases only of theft and house-breaking is the number of undected crimes stated. It is only in these two classes of offences that the existence of undetected crimes is admitted, and that it is allowed that all the offences reported were not detected. But it isdifficult to believe that in no other classes of offences did any crimes remain undetected and that in every case reported, for instance of robbery, abduction or criminal breach of trust, the crime was detected or at least the supposed criminals brought to trial. The Chief Presidency Magistrate should be requested to report distinctly whether the returns submitted by him show fully and completely the total number of cases reported of all classes of offences, or whether with the exception of cases of theft and house-breaking they merely show the number of cases reported in which the Police detected or believed they detected the offenders and had them placed on their trial before the Magistrates. If these returns are to be of any real value it is obvious that they should show the full number of cases reported to have been committed. But if they fail, except in cases of theft and house-breaking, to show the entire number and merely give the number of cases investigated by the Magistrates, omitting altogether those in which the Police were unsuccessful in detecting the offenders, then they are simply misleading. They then do not show the true statistics of crime at all, and they give a favourable estimate of the efficiency and success of the Police. This point should now be carefully cleared up, and explanation should be furnished why the two cases of murder referred to in the Police Commissioner's letter No. 464 of the 18th ultimo and in paragraph 30 of Mr. Cooper's Report have been omitted from the number of offences reported as given in Judicial Statement A.

3. Including the two cases above mentioned the number of cases of murder and culpable homicide not amounting to murder reported in 1878 was four, or only one-half of the number in 1877. It is to be regretted however that in only one of these cases was a conviction obtained, and that in two of them the Police have been unable to detect and arrest the murderers. The fourth case terminated in an acquittal. Attempts to murder numbered two in 1878 as compared with five in the previous year. In one case the accused persons was found guilty and in the other the prisoner was acquitted.

4. Taken as a whole class the number of offences against the person stated to have been reported was slightly larger in 1878 than in 1877, the total number in the year under review having been 5,676 as against 5,594 in 1877. 18 cases of grievous hurt were reported as against 10 in 1877. In cases of simple hurt, however, a reduction in the number reported is shown, the numbers in 1877 and 1878 being respectively 252 and 224. Assaults were also less frequent in the year under report, numbering 1,986 as against 2,012 in 1877. In cases of criminal intimidation or insult a material diminution in number is apprent. 11 cases of kidnapping are entered as compared with 21 in 1877. 92 cases of enticing married women with criminal intent were reported, and 123 persons were brought to trial on this charge but in only one instance was a conviction obtained.

5. A serious increase is noticeable in the number of offences against propery reported which rose from 4,325 in 1877 to 5,021 in the year under review. 58 cases of house-breaking occurred as compared with 37 in 1877, and Government desire to observe that in 21 of these cases the burglars remained undetected. Theft cases numbered 3,906, or 938 more than in 1877. His Excellency in Council regards as very unsatisfactory the degree of success obtained by the Police in dealing with this class of offences as 42 per cent. of the thefts reported were not detected. The proportion of cases reported convicted was accordingly materially beneath the general average for the entire Presidency. Of the persons apprehended and brought to trial on charges of theft about 77 per cent. were convicted. The number of cases of dishonestly receiving stolen property under the Penal Code and of possessing stolen property under the Police Act exhibits a large increase, having risen from 423 in 1877 to 638 in 1878. In about 62 per cent. of cases of this description the persons apprehended were convicted. The action of the Police in endeavouring to check the temptation to steal, and the number of thefts by securing the punishment of receivers of stolen property is indicated and Government are glad to find that the Commissioner has directed the attention of his subordinates to this important object. The general increase in the number of offences against property contrasted, as it apparently with crime by the Chief Presidency Magistrate in his Commissioner of Police to the large number of persons, many of whom belonged to the criminal classes, who flocked into Bombay during the recent prevalence of scarcity and famine, and to the distress arising from the lack of employment owing to depression in trade, and from the dearness of food.

6. Three cases of forgery were brought before the Magistrates in 1878, but in no case did a conviction follow. Three persons were changed with having given false evidence: two were acquitted, and the third was convicted by the High Court.

7. Drunkenness would appear to be increasing in Bombay. 3,294 persons were brought before the Magistrats charged with being drunk and disorderly in the streets, whilst in 1877 the number placed before the Courts on this accounts was only 3,020. The number of persons (2,399) charged with drunkenness in public was also considerably higher than the number (2,007) in 1877. The Police and the Agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals displayed much vigilance during the year under report in preventing and punishing inhumane conduct towards animals. 321 persons (as against 251 in 1877) were prosecuted for abusing and torturing animals and in almost every case a conviction was obtained. Gambling would seem, notwithstanding the effects of the famine and bad trade, to have been more prevalent in Bombay in the year under review than in 1877, for whilst only 791 persons were charged with that offence in 1877 the number brought before the Magistrates in 1878 was 1,103, of whom 1,011 were punished. 45 persons were accused of offences under the Tramway Act. Prosecutions under the Public Conveyances Act were also more numerous in the year under review than in the previous year. Only 19 cases of using false weights and measures were reported in 1878 as compared with 32 in 1877. Government trust that they may be regarded as a proof that the measures and weights used are as a rule correct, but would at the same time request the Commissioner of Police to direct the officers subordinate to him to pay particular attention to the careful and frequent examination of the weights and measures used in the retail provision shops.

8. A considerable decrease in the number of Municipal cases reported, which fell from 4,100 in 1877 to 3,569 in 1,878, is coupled with a large increase in the number of persons prosecuted and convicted. While 84 per cent. of the persons proceeded against were convicted, in 1878 the proportion convicted of the offences with which they were charged amounted to 96 per cent. This result is very creditable to the officers of the Municipality, showing as it does that but in a very small minority of instances were prosecutions instituted by them on inadequate grounds or insufficient evidence. From Mr. Cooper's Report it appears that, for the reasons stated by him, in more than a thousand of the Municipal cases in which the persons charged were convicted no actual punishment was inflicted, the accused being merely admonished and discharged.

9. Government regret to notice that the number (762) of merchant seamen brought before the Magistrates under the Merchant Shipping Acts in 1878 was very much larger than the number (376) in 1877. In 497 cases the persons prosecuted were convicted and sentenced. In most of the other cases the men it is reported consented to go back to their work. It is satisfactory to learn that in Mr. Cooper's opinion that the seamen proceeded against have generally 'no reasonable cause for refusing work or complaining against the Masters of their ships.' To the consequent loss and consequent long detention in port of many sailing vessels is doubtless due to a large extent the increase in the number of disobedient and discontented seamen. It is also to be feared that the light labour and the liberal diet given to European sailors in the House of Correction when sent there for imprisonment have tended to diminish their dread of punishment. Orders have however now been issued by Government which will by increasing the amount of labour required and reducing the scale of diet allowed render the House of Correction a less agreeable place of detention than it hitherto perhaps has been.

10. The number of persons brought for trial before the Magistrates during the past year is stated to have been 26,045, exhibiting an increase of 3,0590 as contrasted with the number in 1877. Of the total number charged with offences 19,927 or 76·5 per cent. were convicted. In 1877 the proportion of persons brought to trial convicted amounted to 71·5 per cent. The larger percentage of convictions in 1878 seems due to the increased proportion of persons prosecuted found guilty in Municipal cases. The proportion of persons convicted in 1878 in cases prepared and brought for trial before the Courts by the Town Police was 88 per cent. and this result, though less favourable than that obtained in 1877 when the percentage of convictions was 92, is in the opinion of Government creditable to the Police.

11. Of the 19,927 persons convicted, 1 was sentenced to death, 12 to transportation, 3,444, or about 17 per cent., to imprisonment and 13,192, or about 66 per cent., to pay fines, 482 were flogged, 64 were bound over to be of good behaviour and 2,780 were simply admonished. Of the total number of persons prosecuted about 6 per cent. were Europeans, 4 per cent. Eurasians and Native Christians, 56·6 per cent. Hindus, 28·2 per cent. Mussalmans, 4·2 per cent. Parsis and 1 per cent. persons of other races or creeds. The proportion of Mussalmans and Parsis was slightly smaller and that of Hindus fractionally higher than in 1877. A large increase in the number of Europeans brought before the Courts is, however, reported for whilst only 1,018 were charged with criminal offences in 1877, in 1878 the number rose to 1,579. Government are glad to find that on this subject the Chief Presidency Magistrate remarks that 'few European residents of Bombay are brought before the Police Courts: the Europeans noticed in the returns nearly all came from the floating or military population.' His Excellency in Council regrets to observe the serious increase in the number of juvenile offenders of the age of 14 years and under, which rose from 361 in 1877 to 492 in the year under review.

12. The estimated value of the property stolen in 1878 is stated to have been Rs. 1,51,475, or Rs. 54,037 in excess of the amount stolen in 1877. Of the property stolen articles to the value of Rs. 77,823 were recovered, giving a percentage of recoveries of 51 as compared with 55 in 1877. The continued diminution in the proportion of stolen property recovered is not satisfactory or creditable to the Police, and some explanation on this point should have been furnished.

13. The same number (51) of fires occurred in Bombay in 1878 as in the preceding year, but whilst in 1877 the value of the property destroyed by fire was Re. 1,18,066, in 1878 it amounted only to Rs. 69,027. Only two fires are stated to have been of a very serious nature involving loss of Rs. 5,000 and upwards, and in these cases the origin of cases the cause of the fire was unknown though doubtless in most instances the fire originated in the culpable carelessness of the persons whose property was burnt or of their servants.

14. 371 inquests were held by the Coroner, being 22 less than in 1877. 84 were cases of suicide, in 42 of which drowning and in 29 of which poison was the cause of death. The number of accidental deaths from drowning decreased from 77 in 1877 to 46 in the year under review. 5 deaths from snake-bite, a like number from excessive drinking, and 3 from gunpowder explosions were reported. 13 persons were killed accidentally on the railways, 1 on the tramway and 14 on board vessels in the harbour.

15. Although in some respects the operations of the Police have not been altogether as successful during the year under review as in previous years, His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that viewed as a whole the results of the year as set fort in this Report and the returns submitted with it may be regarded as favourable, and that the Magistrates, the Police and Municipal Officers have discharged their respective duties creditably and efficiently. He notes with pleasure the testimony borne by the Chief Presidency Magistrate and by the Commissioner of Police to the cordiality and harmony of the relations existing between the Magistrates and the Police, and he considers that commendation is due to the Magistrates for the diligence and despatch displayed by them and to the Commissioner of Police for the zeal and energy evinced by him in the performance of the onerous and responsible duties of his appointment.

### BOMBAY LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THE Legislative Council met at the Secretariat yesterday, when there were present:—H. E. the Hon. Sir Richard Temple, Bart, G.C.S.I., C.I.E., Governor of Bombay, presiding; the Hon. J. Gibbs, C.S.I., the Hon. L. R. Ashburner, C.S.I., the Hon. the Advocate General (Mr. Marriott), the Hon. E. W. Ravenscroft, C.S.I., the Hon. M. Balfour, the Hon. Col. Merriman, C.S.I., R.E., the Hon. Syud Hussan Bi

## SALES BY AUCTION.

**BENNETT AND COMPANY,**
No. 4, FORBES STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY.

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 28th inst. at 4 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will sell by Public Auction at the premises, at the instance of Messrs. Osman Hajee and Noor Mahomed Oomer, the receivers appointed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, by an Order dated the 23rd day of January 1879, made in suit No. 35 of 1877, wherein Bai Halima, widow of the late Noor Mahomed Sallay, is plaintiff, and Ismail Noor Mahomed is defendant, all the right, title, and interest of the late Noor Mahomed Sallay in all that pieces or parcel of Government land and ground, together with the tenement, building, or dwelling houses, standing thereon, situate, lying and being on the west side of Old Mcanonwadis street, without the Fort, in the Registration sub-district of Mandvie, assessed by the assessor of Municipal rates and taxes under No 830, and bounded as follows:—On the east by the public road, on the south by a sweepers' passage and the house of Ahmed Mahomed, on the west by a sweepers' passage and the property of the Honorable Mahomed Ally Rogay, and on the north by the house of Rahimtoola Ahmed.

For further particulars and conditions of sales intending purchasers are requested to apply to the undersigned.

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Old Court-house, Apollo street, Fort, the surplus furniture of the Old Court House, consisting of blackwood and teakwood cupboards, chairs, benches, tables, hanging punkhas, and other articles, &c.

Also certain furniture belonging to the High Court law library consisting of book-cases, punkhas, and some old books, &c,

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co are instructed by Mr. Morrison, the administrator of the estate of the late C. H. Eastley, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, at their rooms,

2 Shares of Rs 2,500 paid up in the Prince of Wales Press Company, Limited, numbered 45 and 102 respectively, belonging to the estate.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th inst., at 2 P.M. Messrs. BENNETT & Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Tardeo the valuable and handsome Mahogany and blackwood household furniture, plated, glass and porcelain ware, &c., the property of R. H. Vincent, Esq., the same comprises plain glassware, handsome dinner and tea services, best plated ware such as hot water curry dishes, pratestand, tea tray, flowerstand, double table candlestick, handsome well seasoned French polished mahogany teakwood furniture (made to order) such as a dining table for 8 persons, sideboards, dumb waiter, mallet pattern chairs, handsome circular, pier, side, and writing tables, easy and drawing room chairs, 7-ft size slate billiard table, centre ottoman, whatnots, chiffonier, iron four post bedsteads, dressing and washing tables, dressing and shaving glasses, cheparais couches, cloths and gown presses, towel horses, dispense articles, cooking utensils, books, &c. &c.

AT 2 P.M.

One English built phaeton.

Catalogues are published and the property is now on view.

WEEKLY SALE.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th instant, Messrs. BENNETT and Co will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, by order of the concerned, and on account and risk of Dewcum Dagrum—

F M } D D } 817-72 6 cases fred, black and white handkerchieves

Also, the property of a deceased gentleman—

1 Gold Albert chain with key and pencil, 1 gold Albert chain with locket and seal, 1 gold scarf ring, 1 brace pin, 1 gold whistle and seal, 2 gold sleeve links 1 finger ring, &c.

AT 1 P.M.

The Property of Government, viz.,

1 high-caste bay Kattiawar mare.

1 English-built stylish dog-cart.

Just arrived from Burmah.

1 Black and 5 Grey Pegu Ponies.

On MONDAY, the 31st instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co will sell by Public Auction, at their rooms by order of the executors and on account and risk of Shaik Tyeb Mahomed Ally.

S T M 2763-75—18 cases German Lithographic stones ex-Emblehope.

On sundry account and risk of Abdool Tyeb Hoosun Ally.

A T R—5376 78—2 cases buttons ex-Mamli.

AUCTION SALE OF LEATHER AND CALF SKINS.

On WEDNESDAY, the 9th April, at 2 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, by order of the concerned, and on account and risk of Esmailjee Cowrimbh Jee—

E C 1,000—1 Case leather and calf skins ex Lord Eslington.
6,463—1 ,, calfskins ex do.

ON COMMISSION SALE.

A few pieces of York Hams, price 10 annas per lb.

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Bombay, March 28th, 1879.

**CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,**
2, MARINE STREET, BOMBAY.

SALE of piece goods at the godowns of Messrs. W. & A. Graham and Co. in Parsee Bazar Street, Fort.

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 28th instant, sale commencing at 2-30 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the godowns of Messrs W. and A. Graham and Co. in Parsee Bazar Street, Fort.

A quantity of grey white and coloured piece goods in lots to suit purchasers.

SALE OF NITEDAL'S TANDSTICKERS.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th inst., at 3 P.M. Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at the godowns of Messrs Volkart Brothers at Grant Road near the Two Tanks, on account and at the risk of Tyeballee Soolianalee—

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V B 351-400—33 cases Nitedal's tandstickers matches.
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TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th inst., sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction at Malow Street, Fort, above Mr. Cursetjee Cowasjee, Jewellers' the valuable handsome household furniture, plated, glass and porcelain wares, &c., the property of J. Cook, Esq.; the same comprises stair carpet, glassware, plated cruet, pickle and liquor frames, icepitcher, vegetable and curry dishes, salvers, spoons and forks, table and chamber candlesticks, 1 and 2 light hanging kerosine lamps, cutlery and hand-some French polished furniture comprising dining, drawing-room, pier, wash-hand and dressing tables, drawing room, easy, folding, arm and with arm chairs, side-board, whatnot, conversation couches, lady's worktable, iron bedstead, camp cots, chest of drawers, clothes and gown presses, mahogany dressing glasses, carpets, pictures, table ornaments, flower vases, bath, dispense and cook-room furniture and utensils, &c.

Now on view.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

On MONDAY next, the 31st March at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms,

10 cases T. red chintz,
10 bales grey dhoties 7 and 8 yards,
2 cases colored Lappets,
1 ,, white handkerchieves,
2 ,, pli in gurzes,
2 ,, colored Twill,
25 ,, each 6 dozen C. ward's assorted jams,
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On account and at the risk of Jamsetjee Rustomjee.

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On account and at the risk of Lalldass Chubildass.

L C O } 1/10—10 bales T. Scarlet Twist, ex Ben Gloe,
,, 11/25—15 ,, ,, ex Galatea.

At 2 P.M.

1 chestnut Gulf horse 5 years old, a good saddle horse.

On MONDAY next, the 31st instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction near the Arsenal, behind the Town Hall, the handsome household furniture, plated, glass and porcelain wares, &c. the property of Mr. W. MACE, Conductor, Ornance Department, going to England.

Full particulars will shortly appear.

SALE OF DAMAGED MAURITIUS SUGAR.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at Carnac Bunder on account of the underwriters ex-British Barque Verina H E N 52 bags damaged Mauritius sugar.

CRAWFORD & Co.

Bombay, March 28th, 1879.

**SORABJEE COWASJEE AND COMPANY,**
AUCTIONEERS.

AUCTION SALE of Large Collection of General Fancy Goods in variety at Apollo Street, on the 1st floor of the Swadeshi Building.

Messrs SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co. are instructed by Mr B. J. Stone travelling representative of Messrs Sil er and Fleming to sell by Pacific Auction the remainder goods, being fresh 5 to finish on Thursday will be sold again TO-MORROW SATURDAY, and MONDAY next, the 29th and 31st instant sale to commence at 1 p.m. precisely. The attendance of Gentlemen is respectfully requested.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & Co.

Bombay, 28th March 1879.

**MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON AND COMPANY.**

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY NEAR CHEERA BAZAR.

(If not previously sold by private contract.)

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 29th instant, at 4 p.m. Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by Public Auction, on the premises, by order of Messrs Pandurang Luxumnee and Kashinath Luxumnjee with the consent of the mortgagee Mr. Hurrichund Succaram the following.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house, situate without the Fort of Bombay, on the west side of the Palee or Breech Candy Road, in the sub-district of Bhuleshwar, measuring about 70 feet in length and 11 feet in breadth, assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue and Pension Tax under No. 127 and Assessment under No. 65, and bounded on the east by the said Palee or Breach Candy Road, on the west by the house of Mr. Peter Marquis, on the north by a passage, and on the south by the house of Seth Damodhur Juggonath Sett, and the said premises in the occupation of the tenants of said Messrs. Pandurang and Cesinath Luxmonjee.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to the Undersigned.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.

Bombay, 28th March 1879.

**S. SHRICRISTNAJEE AND COMPANY.**
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 28th instant, Messrs S. SHRICRISTNAJEE and Co. will sell by Public Auction at 1 P. M., at Her Majesty's Dockyard, the following materials:—

Rafters, bamboos, planks, Porebunder stones, chunam, ropes, and iron blocks, and sundry articles.

S. SHRICRISTNAJEE & Co.

Bombay, 28th March 1879.

**MENESSE AND COMPANY.**

AUCTION Sale of House hold Furniture &c., at Upper Colaba in the Lunatic Asylum.

On MONDAY, the 31st instant, at 1 P.M., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at Upper Colaba, the household furniture, &c., of J. Darham, Esq. leaving the Presidency, the same consisting of blackwood carved tables, chairs, press, wardrobe, chest of drawers, sofas, towel horse, cupboard, mattress, lamps, pictures, table ornaments, carpets, glass and crockery ware, cutlery, copper cooking utensils, &c., &c.

MENESSE & Co.

Bombay, 28th March 1879.

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